

CHRISTMAS

Will soon come and you are still in doubt as to what to buy for your husband, wife or children, brother, sister, sweetheart or friend. Now if you will come in and tell us your troubles we will guarantee that you won't leave our store troubled, for we have suitable presents for everyone and the beauty of it all is they are useful. They are going out fast and if you don't come soon you may fail to get just what you want.

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What the Papers Say.

Hon. Sam Powell and Hon. Alphabet Campbell ask the towns of the territory to write to Washington and call the Beveridge bill a rank fake with the hope that the Moon bill may pass. Great lobbyists those fellows are.—South McAlester News.

In one of his sorrowful meditations Charles Gibson wonders why the United States ever started to put Indians on allotments and turn them into full fledged citizens. He says that Uncle Sam put the fixings on the Indian and that the Indian is not able to carry the fixings.—Ex.

Senator Morgan is very much amused over the report, that has been put in circulation, that he went, immediately after the council, to Muskogee to interview the Dawes commission and protest against the supplementary treaty commission. He says that from the way Col. Needles talks it was not necessary for any body to, put in a protest. The senator also states that his business at Muskogee was to aid a brother in his effort to be placed on the rolls as a Cherokee citizen.—Tahlequah Herald.

The Creek deeds are here. Such was the welcome news first conveyed to the people of Muskogee this morning by special bulletin of the Times. It was the most important and desirable piece of government information that has been given in the Creek nation for a long time.

The deeds were received by mail this morning and there are 992 in the lot. They will be recorded in the records of the commission and then turned over to the chief for delivery. They can be recorded at the rate of fifty per day by one man and it is likely that they will be delivered to the chief that way, though it is a mere matter of detail to be decided by the commission. The clerk who will do the recording stated that it would be possible to get out a few of them in two or three days though the work will not be well under way for ten days.

The commission expects the deeds to arrive from Washington in consignments regularly now and if they come fast enough three men may be put on the record force.

General Porter has not been officially notified of the arrival of the deeds and has made no arrangements as to their final delivery, but promises there will be no delay in his office.—McAlester Times.

cold storage of our anatomy. It is the hotbed of toothache and the bungle of oratory. The mouth is the crimson aisle to the liver; it is the foundation of patriotism and the tool chest for pie. Without the mouth the politician would be a wanderer on the face of the earth and go down to a dishonored grave. It is the grover's friend, the dentist's hope. It is the temptation lunch counter when attached to a pretty girl and a tobacco fiend when attached to a man.—Oklahoman.

The territorial game warden, J. A. Gould, intercepted and confiscated a car of quail at the Eoid railroad yards last night. The shipment consisted of twenty-nine barrels of quail and was valued at \$3,000. It was sent by an Okeene company billed to St. Louis. The territorial law forbids the shipment of game out of the territory under a heavy penalty, and the game warden announces his intention of proceeding against all offenders.—Ex.

An Ottawa boy recently was offered a dime to wade in the cold water of the river. He promptly did it. Then another dime was earned by wading out where the water came up to his neck and another was added to his reward for staying there a certain length of time. Afterwards he walked a mile in his wet clothes to reach home. A large troublesome case of pneumonia at once came loping down toward the house, but when it heard about the boy's nerve and grit it decided that it wouldn't have a ghost of a show on that youngster and trotted on down the road.—State Capital.

Senator Quay rang the death knell of the Indian Territory for statehood favors the other day in his venomous, blasphemous enology on this piece of terra firma, which is denied the civil respect of legislation and aborted from all privileges due free and enlightened citizens.—Ardmoreite.

Mayor Doggett made a raid on the gambling houses of Wagoner yesterday. He summoned his police force and all got into a bus and went direct to the gambling houses. The news had leaked out ahead and the gamblers attempted to escape, but three were caught and arraigned for trial. The authorities of Wagoner are now determined to put a stop to gambling and whiskey selling in Wagoner.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

On December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1902, and January 1, 1903, the M. K. & T. Railway will sell Holiday Excursion tickets to local points within two hundred miles of selling station for one fare for the round trip, final limit January 2, 1903.

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"The Burlington-Northern Pacific Express" is the only through train into the Northwest territory in connection with the Northern Pacific Railroad. Through coaches, chair cars (seats free), through tourist sleepers over this short line and time saver to the Northwest. Connecting train from Denver to Alliance in connection with this great through train. You can reach the Northwest either via Kansas City, St. Joseph or Denver, by the Burlington Route.

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Warning Order.

In the United States Court for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, sitting at Vinita.

W. H. Curtis, Plaintiff, No. 1092.

John T. Austin, Defendant.
The defendant, John T. Austin, is warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff, W. H. Curtis.

Witness the Honorable Joseph A. Gill, Judge of said court and seal thereof, at Vinita, I. T., this 2nd day of November, A. D. 1902. CHAS. A. DAVIDSON, Clerk.

By P. H. FORD, Deputy.
W. H. Kornegay, Attorney for plaintiff.
G. P. Fozie, Attorney for non-resident defendant.

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